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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

KOK S. CHEN et al.

Serial No.: 09/344,826

Filed: JUNE 25, 1999

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
HALFTONING USING A TIME-VARIABLE
HALFTONE PATTERN

Atty Dkt: P2290/1599US

Examiner: BRINICH, S.

Group Art Unit: 2624

AMENDMENT B

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the office action mailed June 17, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows. Please charge any fees necessary for prosecution of the present application to deposit account no. 50-1443.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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